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In re Application of:

Jerome O. CANTOR *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/863,849

Filed: May 23, 2001

For: **METHOD FOR TREATING
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ASSOCIATED WITH PULMONARY
ELASTIC FIBER INJURY**

) Examiner: Michael C. Henry

) Art Unit: 1623

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New York, New York

April 10, 2009

**SUBMISSION INCLUDING AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
INCLUDING PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Commissioner for Patents
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